

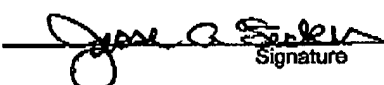
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<b>Application Number</b> 09/871610		<b>Filed</b> June 1, 2001	
<b>For</b> NEW METHODS FOR ARRAY PREPARATION USING SUBSTRATE ROTATION			
<b>Art Unit</b> 1634		<b>Examiner</b> B. J. Forman	
This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a reply in the above identified application.			
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